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**Title:** System and Method for  
Creating a Graphical  
Program Based on a  
Pre-Defined Program  
Process

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## REQUEST TRANSMITTAL

(under 37 CFR § 1.114)

This is a request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of application number 09/886,531, filed on June 20, 2001, entitled System and Method for Creating a Graphical Program Based on a Pre-Defined Program Process.

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☒ An amendment and response are attached hereto.  
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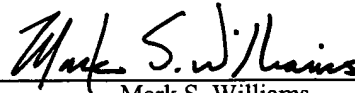
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